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LOST—A West African gold ring, with the "signs of the zodiac" on it. A good reward will be paid on its return to THE TIMES Office. ap22-1t

LOST—A black and white setter dog was lost on Friday night. Finder will please leave same at John Weller's warerooms, Fort Street. 69 tf

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NOT COMPLIMENTARY.

Rykert, M. P., Goes After a Clergyman Without Gloves.

Ottawa, April 19.—J. C. Rykert, Conservative M. P. for Lambton, who voted for the Jesuits' bill as a representative Orangeman, and afterwards boasted he could go into the Senate to-morrow, came out this morning with a two-column open letter to Rev. Dr. Hunter, Methodist minister of Toronto, who lectured here recently and is again billed for lectures on the Jesuits' debate. He attacked Rykert, and Rykert opens the flood gates of vituperation after the following fashion:

"Sir,—You have certainly an undoubted right, both as a citizen and a Christian minister, to criticise in a fair, impartial and Christian spirit, the antecedents of public men, but when a minister of the gospel steps down into the arena of party politics and lowers himself to the level of a common blackguard, by giving utterances to language which even the Billingsgate woman hesitates to use, it is high time for his friends to enquire whether he is mentally responsible."

The following are fair samples of the balance of the letter:

"At St. Catherines you not only arrival your low and ruffianly language at Ottawa, in an attack upon me; but have the impudence to challenge the motives and abuse the actions of men like Sir John Macdonald, Blake, Laurier, Mills, Thompson and other eminent and distinguished constitutional lawyers, whose opinions will be respected after miscreants like fanatics like yourself are forgotten. You know you would not have dared, in my presence to make such reckless and untruthful statements for the reason that you would have been convicted on the spot as a public slanderer, a reputation you have enjoyed ever since you made phrenology your special study. Your whole performance on the Jesuit question since you have taken to the theatre are very poor imitations of the ridiculous utterances of an end man in a minstrel troupe, and only have a tendency to make you appear contemptible in the eyes of intelligent people. Was there ever such an amount of ignorance displayed by any intelligent man as was exhibited as the meeting of the Toronto Ministerial Association? You know in your heart that you are a public slanderer, and that you dare not meet an opponent in public controversy. And I know of no better way to describe you than to use the words which you so feelingly used at the opera house, in St. Catharines, in your description of a certain little unsavory animal: "That your nose is too long and your breath is horrible."

OUR OWN COUNTRY.

Condensed News of the Different Provinces.

QUEBEC.

Cardinal Taschereau publishes a letter in a Quebec paper, regretting and censuring the attitude of certain newspapers on the Jesuit Estates question.

Four properties bought by the corporation for widening the St. John street, Quebec, for $26,000 were sold at auction and only fetched $9,500.

The Government fisheries cruiser, Le Canadien, is fitting out in Quebec for services in connection with the Gulf fisheries.

ONTARIO.

Sister Hickey died of cancer at L'Hotel Dieu, Kingston, on Wednesday. She was in the sisterhood for thirty-nine years.

The warehouses of the Grand River Gypsum Company and the grain warehouse of B. & E. Baxter, Cayuga, were burned on Thursday with the contents; partially insured.

The Toronto *World* says J. Small, M. P., will not take the collectorship of customs there, and there will be no election in East Toronto.

Rev. Dr. Sutherland, of Toronto, is addressing meetings in the interests of the new party.

The new Welland canal was opened for navigation Wednesday. A number of vessels have already passed.

Contractor Farquhar of Toronto obtained a writ against John Ross Robertson of the Toronto *Telegram* to prevent the latter exhibiting in the window of the *Evening Telegram* the defective cedar blocks exhibited in court in the Farquhar-Robertson case.

D. W. Campbell and Samuel Dice have been nominated for the Mayoralty of Milton, vacated by J. E. Harrison, who has gone to Burlington, Iowa.

J. G. Symmes, a Barrie painter, fell fourteen feet head downwards, and received injuries which resulted in death shortly after. He belonged to the town police and was an officer in the 35th battalion, and went through the Northwest rebellion with it.

Owing to the sudden death of Contractor Yorke of Toronto, work has been suspended on the parliament buildings, and 250 men are idle.

Principal Grant delivered an address on Imperial Federation before a large audience at Kingston on Thursday night. He held that Canadian politics were necessarily in a state of confusion, and that they would remain so until partnerships with the old land were formed and Canada had a share in the empire's responsibilities, risks and dangers. Secession or independence would lead to self-destruction.

Kaufman, the aged Brockville forger, completely broke down when he was taken to the Kingston Penitentiary and measured, stripped and clothed in convict garb. His term of incarceration will be seven years.

Five incendiary fires have been started at Listowel. Three of them were put out immediately, but by the other two Mr. J. E. Terhune's residence and Rev. Mr. Deck's stables were burned to the ground with all their contents. Terhune's family narrowly escaped with their lives.

It is intimated that Dalton McCarthy has resigned his position as president of the Ontario Liberal Conservative Association. It is likely he will soon leave Dominion politics and seek a seat in the Ontarion Legislature, where he will lead the party.

Charles Dove, late engineer of the Canadian Pacific Railway, whose body was found recently in the canal at Sault Ste. Marie, was formerly a well-known resident of Windsor and Essex Centre, in which latter town he was a hotel-keeper.

Robert Murray, reeve of Embrois, is dead. Probably no man in the township of West Zorra enjoyed the respect and confidence or held more positions of trust than Mr. Murray.

MARITIME PROVINCES.

The Nova Scotia legislature prorogued on Monday last.

The Canada Atlantic and Boston and P. E. I. steamship companies, which have been engaged in cut-throat competition all winter, cutting rates down to $1 per head to Boston, are about to amalgamate.

Mr. H. N. Paint, of Cape Breton, has had several interviews with members of the Government relative to granting a subsidy for a branch road from Orangedale on the Cape Breton railway to Broad Cove mines, a distance of thirty miles. He has a certificate from the inspector of mines, Mr. Gilpin, that the basin of coal to which the branch is asked for contains 200,000,000 tons, equal to the total production from all the coal mines of Nova Scotia and Cape Breton for the next hundred years.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

TO THE TIMES ONLY.

Morrison, the Megantic Outlaw, Captured After a Desperate Struggle.

Attempted Robbery in Winnipeg—Postoffice Robbed—The Royal City.

(Special to THE TIMES.)

Ottawa, April 22.—In the House this afternoon, Sir Hector Langevin, replying to Helton, said that correspondence has been going on between the Imperial authorities and the Canadian Government respecting the defence of the coast of British Columbia since 1885, and was still going on. This correspondence was of a confidential character.

Hon. Sir A. Caron, also replying to Sir Hector, said that the National Defence Committee met from time to time for the purpose of reporting confidentially to the Government on any matters affecting the defences of the country, which might come under their notice.

The House then considered the report of the committee on the resolution for a subsidy for a steamship service between British Columbia and Australia.

Hon. Mr. Laurier moved in amendment, that the amount was too large to be devoted, especially as the government had no control over the grant, seeing their answer to the pressure for the steamers to stop at Victoria was to the effect that the whole matter was under the control of the Imperial authorities.

A division was taken and the amendment defeated, 55 yeas, 77 nays. A similar amendment put by Davis re subsidy to a line from British Columbia to Japan and China, was also defeated.

CROFTERS ARRIVE.

Winnipeg, April 22—Three hundred Scotch Crofters arrived on Saturday and reached Salt Coat yesterday, where they will locate. They were met here by Sir Charles Tupper.

ATTEMPTED ROBBERY.

Burglars attempted to rob Doll's wholesale jewelry store on Saturday morning. Geo. Hunt, who slept in the store, was shot through the arm. The robbers escaped.

LACROSSE CONVENTION.

Brandon, April 22.—At the Provincial Lacrosse Convention here yesterday it was decided to divide the province into four districts for the intermediate championship. Winnipeg, Ninth, Portage, Brandon and Plum Creek are the only clubs in the senior series.

STAMPS STOLEN.

Pembroke, Ont., April 22.—The postoffice here was robbed last night; $800 worth of stamps was taken.

SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES.

Ottawa, April 22.—In the Commons on Saturday Sir John stated, in reply to a question, that additional railway subsidies and supplementary estimates would be brought down on Monday.

MORRISON CAPTURED.

Montreal, April 22.—A despatch received to-night announces that Donald Morrison, the Megantic outlaw, was captured at his father's house in Marsden, 64 miles from Sherbrooke, by Constable McMahon, of Montreal, and an Indian scout named Lefure. There was a desperate fight, and Morrison was wounded in the hip and captured and taken to Sherbrooke.

LACHINE CANAL.

Water was let into the Lachine Canal on Saturday night, and barges commenced to lock through.

STRUCK BY LIGHTNING.

Port Hope, April 22.—The barns of Thomas Cann, township of Hope, were burned last night through being struck by lightning. Loss, $5000. The house of H. A. Walker, near Welcome, was also struck. Arthur Graham was knocked senseless.

BUILDINGS BURNED.

Georgetown, April 22.—Three dwellings and a wagon-shop, belonging to W. R. Brown, were burned with their contents. E. Black, Geo. Errington and Mr. Newton, barely escaped with their lives.

NEW WESTMINSTER.

The Mission Bridge—Mr. Chisholm's Health, Etc.

(Special to THE TIMES.)

New Westminster, April 22.—The Westminster Board of Trade received a telegram on Saturday from the Minister of Marine at Ottawa, stating that the Canadian Pacific Railway Company had given the Dominion Government a guarantee that provision would be made for a draw of one hundred feet in width in the railway and traffic bridge now in course of construction across the Fraser River at St. Mary's Mission.

J. N. Mendall has arrived from Ottawa with instructions from the Ross-McLaren Lumbering Company to proceed at once to the erection of a sawmill on the site selected some time since on the Fraser, about one mile above Sapperton.

A telegram received here yesterday stated Donald Chisholm, M. P., had been very ill for the past ten days, but the doctors now hold hopes of his recovery.

NANAIMO.

A Hotelkeeper Robbed—A Big Haul—Thief Known.

(Special to THE TIMES.)

Nanaimo, April 22.—Robert Evans, of the Nanaimo Hotel, was robbed this morning of $320, a gold watch, checks and other valuable papers. Evans had placed his money and watch on a bureau table in a room on retiring. Leaving his room for a few minutes, the thief, who had evidently secreted himself under the bed, took advantage of Evans' absence and secured the plunder. The man, whose only name known is Charlie, had been stopping in the hotel several days, and hailed from Seattle. Evans discovered the robbery on returning to his room, and immediately notified the police. The only clue to the pilferer was the sound of his retiring footsteps going down the stairs. The police are on his track, but no word of his capture has, up to this time, 3:30 p. m., reached here. The thief is described as 5 feet 7 inches in height, light complexion and an expert pool player.

CASE OF ABORTION.

Two Arrests in Vancouver for the Crime.

(Special to THE TIMES.)

Vancouver, April 22.—Dr. Langis and Arthur Sullivan were arrested on Saturday night charged with abortion on Mrs. Hogg, who confessed to her husband. Bail was fixed at $8,000. The case comes up in the police court to-morrow.

—Let the company be neither noisy nor mute.

—The ass is still an ass, e'en though he wears a lion's hide.

—There is small choice in rotten apples.

VERY HIGH PRICED.

What it Costs to Elect Four Nova Scotia Tories.

Montreal *Herald*: Tory statesmanship is getting to be terribly costly, if the result of some of the promises made at the last general election abundantly prove. In order to save Cumberland, Colchester and Pictou, N. S., to the Tory party, Sir Charles Tupper felt called upon to pledge the Government and good faith of the country that the Nova Scotia Short Line, from Oxford to New Glasgow, should be built as a Government railway. It is being so built. It is purely a local road, will cost not less than $2,000,000, will be a competing line with the main line of the I. C. R. and will save only about ten miles in distance over the route via Truro and Pictou branch to New Glasgow. The two Tuppers, McLelan and McDougall came dear at $500,000 apiece. That's just what their election is costing the people of Canada, with some other small jobs thrown in.

In order to elect Mr. Kenny, of Halifax, and assist Mr. Wood of Westmoreland, and Mr. Temple, of York, N. B., Sir Charles Tupper pledged his word of honor as a Privy Councillor that the construction of the Short Line Link from Harvey to Moncton, in New Brunswick, formed part of the C. P. R. contract. It now transpires that Sir Charles Tupper's pledge was—well, as an eminent Baptist divine in Nova Scotia once said, it "lacked the essential element." The C. P. R. were under no such contract, and now, in order to keep the kicking Tory members from the Maritime Provinces in line, the Government are going to spend $3,000,000 or more of public money to build the link in question, which will only save seventeen miles in distance or twenty minutes' time, between Halifax and Vancouver, and besides will compete with both the C. P. R. and I. C. R. Kenny Wood and Temple came dear at $1,000,000 each. That is what their election is to cost the country, with a bridge at Fredericton and some other items thrown in. Let us recapitulate:

N. S. Short Line—to elect two Tuppers, McLelan and McDougall	$2,000,000
N. B. Short Line—to elect Kenny, Wood and Temple	3,000,000
Total	$5,000,000

Or $714.28 each.

What do the Tory members from British Columbia think of the high-priced supporters of Sir John from the Maritime Provinces?

SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

Interesting Items of Sport—Challenge to Paine.

At the conclusion of the baseball game on Good Friday afternoon the lacrosse players held a good practice game.

CHALLENGE TO PAINE.

San Francisco, April 22.—Henry Heneman, who defeated Charles Long in a rowing match for a thousand dollars, at Stockton yesterday, says he is willing to row a race with Wm. Paine, of Victoria, B. C., for $500-a side, over a three mile course, race to take place either at Stockton or San Francisco.

PEDESTRIANISM.

Watson and McIntyre will run one mile at Menlo Park, California, on April 28th, for $500 aside. Betting is even in the Bay City.

BASEBALL.

Messrs. Marsh and Watson, the Minneapolis battery, have been engaged by the Donald baseball club. Both Marsh and Watson have played ball in Winnipeg, and the press of that city say they are good men.

The James Bay and Mayflower clubs will play a match game at Beacon Hill, next Saturday.

The season was opened at Toronto on the 13th between the Varsity and a strong picked nine. Samuel Schultz and Wright pitched for the former, but the latter was wild, giving eight bases on balls to the former's two. The Varsities won. Score: 5 to 1.

Sentinel: Baseball matters are booming in Kamloops in good earnest now, and the probabilities are that a first-class nine will be in the field to contest for honors with other senior clubs of the province.

AQUATIC.

Messrs. Bush, Pauline, Richardson and two Vancouver oarsmen are practicing for the 24th of May regatta.

Hy. Searle intends to sail from Australia for England on the 4th proximo, and on arrival in London will challenge all Americas and English oarsmen to a series of races on the Thames.

Wm. Paine, the British Columbia oarsman, returned to this city on board the sealing schooner Viva last evening. During his visit to San Francisco he was handsomely entertained by the Ariel club. He will probably take part in the regatta on the Queen's Birthday. He has proved himself a good shot as well as a sculler, bringing back to port 52 seal skins from the sealing grounds to his credit.

EARL DUNRAVEN'S CHALLENGE.

Speaking of the Earl of Dunraven's challenge for a series of races for the America cup, the New York *World* says: "Let us build a new yacht by all means, as a national achievement, and in order to prove that we can accomplish greater triumphs than we have already secured. The work will keep the genius of our builders in play and help to confirm and strengthen our position as the greatest yachtsmen of the world. Then if Lord Dunraven wins we will give up the cup with good grace, pleased at least that it recrosses the ocean in possession of an Englishman who in liberality of views and admiration of our institutions, is almost an American."

To Sportsmen.

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M. & H. A. Fox have just received direct from Sheffield a large stock of table and pocket cutlery, scissors, etc. Shaving outfits a specialty. Call and examine at 78 Government street.

Laying the Corner Stone.

The ceremony of laying the corner stone of the Royal Jubilee Hospital, for which extensive preparations had been made, was postponed until to-morrow, in consequence of the state of the weather. Rain fell almost incessantly on Sunday and during the forenoon to-day and the indications were that the whole day would be wet and disagreeable. About noon the clouds disappeared and the sun shone out warm and bright. The change, however, came too late, as the committee had decided some hours before to postpone the event. The ceremony will therefore take place to-morrow afternoon at the hour already announced, and as elaborate preparations have been made by the indefatigable secretary, Mr. Chudley, there will undoubtedly be a larger attendance.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

LOST AT SEA.

The Missing Danmark—Forty-Two of the Crew Landed at Lisbon.

Proposed Retaliation—Canadian Cars to be Taxed—The Policy of Protection.

(By Postal Telegraph.)

London, April 22.—First Officer Raben and 42 of the crew of the steamer Denmark arrived at Lisbon yesterday from the Azores, where they were landed by the steamer Missouri. Raben reports that during a severe storm that prevailed on the 4th the Denmark broke her shaft as she rose on the crest of a wave and began to descend. The propeller was for a moment clear out of water while revolving very rapidly. At this time the shaft in the tunnel broke near the aft end of the section. The jagged of the portion of the section connected with the engines tore a hole in the bottom of the vessel. At this moment the engine pumps burst, killing engineer Kass and disabling and loosening the iron plates at the side of the vessel, causing another leak. The machinery was completely disabled and no attempt was made to mend the shaft as it would have been useless. At the time of the disaster the Denmark was 800 miles from Newfoundland Banks. She at once fell into the trough of the sea and was helpless, as long waves were constantly breaking over her. Fortunately the after compartment of the vessel closed and kept the water back. Measures were at once taken to get sails on the vessel. She was put before the wind and everything done that skillful seamanship could suggest to secure the safety of the vessel and passengers. Capt. Knudson kept her as well as the gale would permit in the path of the ocean steamers, and the steam pump was kept at work, freeing the forward compartment of water that leaked through from the aft. Nothing could be done to clear the after compartments, as the water had free access through an immense rent in the stern. All the rest of the day the sea was eagerly scanned for assistance, but not one vessel was sighted. On the fifth day the glad announcement was heard from the top that a sail was in sight. Signals of distress were hoisted, and the vessel proved to be the Missouri, from London for Philadelphia. The Missouri bore down on the Denmark. Captain Knudson signalled the Missouri and asked that his passengers be taken aboard, intending to proceed under sail, but the Missouri signalled back it would be impossible. The Missouri offered to give the Denmark tow. This offer was accepted and after much difficulty a line was taken from the disabled vessel to the Missouri and the heaviest chain cable brought into use. The Missouri is a slow vessel and heavily laden. Progress was very slow. As soon as the course changed from before the wind the Denmark began to strain and water forced its way in much faster than the pumps could free the vessel. On the 6th the case was seen to be hopeless. So much water was in the hold that she lost her buoyancy and every time she went down in the trough of sea, the passengers thought would be the last plunge. The Missouri stopped and Capt. Knudson went aboard. After a short conference, Capt. Merrell, of the Missouri, agreed to jettison a portion of the cargo.

There are two missing steamers of names almost similar. The National line steamer Denmark left London on March 30. The Thingvalla steamer Danmark left her port of Christiana on March 26. The vessels were supposed to have collided, which would have accounted for their non-arrival, but the above nes dispels this idea.

JOY! JOY!

London, April 22—News of the safety of the Danmark's people was received with great joy in Denmark and Sweden. It was a relief to everybody, although not a single Englishman was on board. Excitement was intense, and particularly so among trans-Atlantic travellers.

THE MISSOURI'S CARGO.

Philadelphia, April 22.—The steamship Missouri, which rescued the passengers of the Danmark, left the breakwater at 7:30 this morning and is expected to arrive at her pier between 2 and 3 p. m. All on board are reported well. The value of the cargo jettisoned to make room for the rescued passengers is $150,000. She had a miscellaneous cargo and the loss will fall on the insurance companies.

WOMAN SUFFRAGE.

London, April 22.—About two million women have voted at the English elections this month, voting for churchwardens, vestrymen, parish clerks, sextons, members of local government boards and poor law guardians. Many of the women have been elected guardians and some to other offices.

RETALIATION.

Washington, April 22.—It is said to be not improbable that Canadian freight cars coming into the United States and running over United States railroads, will now have to pay the regular rate of duty at points of entry. The Treasury department, it is reported, has had the matter in consideration for some time; in fact, ever since the fisheries trouble, but at that time it was said on reliable authority that while now, if adopted, it would simply be in accordance with the protective tariff ideas of the administration and protect the United States carbuilders. In preparation for this move on the part of the Treasury department account has been kept at some points of entry, notably at Detroit, of dutiable freight cars belonging to Canadian roads which come in. From their report it is estimated an average of 300 such cars come in daily at Detroit and Port Huron, Michigan, and at Niagara Falls, and that fully 3,000 dutiable Canadian cars are in constant use in the United States, not one of them having paid a cent duty. There are three classifications under which these cars may come in, and there does not appear to be any precedents to show whether they should be classified as wood, would pay 35 per cent. ad valorem; on manufactures of iron, 45 per cent., and on carriages 35 per cent.

PROMINENT MAN DEAD.

Boston, April 22.—Stanton Blake, one of the best known physicians died this morning, after a short illness. He was born in 1837, and was a son of the late Geo. B. Blake, who for many years was head of the firm of Blake Bros. & Co., canners. Mr. Blake retired from active business in 1870. He was connected with a great many charitable institutions.

WEALTHY CHINAMAN SHOT.

San Francisco, April 22.—Hee Ah Sin, a wealthy Chinaman, was shot and mortally wounded last night by Hoo Ah Say. The latter had wanted $50 with which to return to China and had been refused. Say has been arrested.

BRITISH MINISTER ARRIVES.

New York, April 22—Sir Julian Pauncefort, the newly appointed British Minister to Washington, arrived yesterday.

AMERICAN SENATORS COMING.

Washington, April 22—Senator Dawes has arranged a trip to be taken by the Senate Commission on Indian Affairs this summer in pursuing the investigation into the condition of the Indians in the Northwest. The Commission will leave Chicago on July 1st and will proceed to Portland, thence to Tacoma, Washington Territory, and to Sitka, Alaska.

MURDER IN SAN FRANCISCO.

San Francisco, April 22.—John Harrington, Deputy in the Assessor's office, was shot and instantly killed at 1:50 o'clock this afternoon in a saloon by Calvin T. Lewis, a young wood sawyer. The quarrel was over drinks, and Lewis claims he acted in self defence.

LORD LIEUTENANT FOR IRELAND

London, April 22.—It is stated that Lord Brownlow will succeed the Marquis of Londonderry as Lord Lieutenant of Ireland. Lady Brownlow is an aunt of Lady Londonderry.

THE REBEL LEADER.

Dument's Address to the Half-breeds—Half Defiant Still.

Duck Lake, N.W.T., April 17—Dument who arrived home on Friday last, very much aged during his absence, immediately arranged for a series of meetings on his arrival. At the second one held at Batoche about sixty were present. Dument said he was pleased to see so many friends present to welcome him back as he had been told they had ceased to care for him. He also heard that the people cest had tired of him, but it was false as he had letters from Quebec asking him to return. He then gave a description of his travels. He said he had written several times to the Government for an amnesty, and that at last he got tired of writing, and he told them he was coming back whether or not, and that he would not do it hiding but above board. This letter was immediately answered, giving him his amnesty. At New York he was given a grand reception by the French citizens, who presented him with a medal and an address. In speaking to them he gave a full statement of how and why the trouble came about, and challenged any Canadian who might be present to contradict him, but the Secretary of War, who was present, would not allow this. There were three regiments present at the reception. When in Quebec he addressed many meetings, at which he also explained the trouble of 1885. He told them that the Government had whipped them, but that a given number of French half-breeds well armed could whip a similar number of any other nation in the world. He visited Ottawa, but did not call on Sir John Macdonald, as he did not think it his duty. Sir John should have called on him. An amnesty had now been granted the rebels by the Dominion Government, and that amnesty meant that all the rebels should get their cattle and every other thing lost and confiscated. This was one of the objects of his meetings. He wanted a strong committee formed and a petition sent to the Lieutenant-Governor at Regina for his signature and approval and then sent to Ottawa. If the Hon. Mr. Royal refused to sign it then he, as a deputation, would go to Ottawa himself. We must have our claims paid, said Dumont. The Metis were not to blame for the trouble they were led into it and now they must be paid. A committee of forty men were then formed with instructions to lose no time in getting a petition prepared and sent to Regina. Other meetings are to be held.

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Agricultural Society.

The farmers of Cedar District propose forming an agricultural society, and for that purpose will hold a preliminary meeting on Saturday next.

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Gladstone on our Divorce Law.

Hon. W. E. Gladstone has written the following letter to J. A. Gemmel, barrister, Ottawa, in acknowledgment of a copy of Gemmel's book on "Divorce in Canada":

DEAR SIR: I accept with pleasure your very interesting work. Reflection tends to confirm me in the belief that the best basis for law is the indissolubility of the Christian marriage; that is to say, to have no such divorce or severance as allows re-marriage. Short of this I think it highly probable that the Canadian system, of which I had not previously been aware, is the best, as being attended with the least danger."

Petticoat Government.

Petticoat government out in Oskaloosa, Kansas, seems to be justifying its existence. The mayor and the council, composed exclusively of women, have introduced a number of salutary reforms, and law and order prevail there. The ordinances relating to the observance of the Sabbath are rigidly enforced now for the first time in Oskaloosa. The shops must be closed on Sundays, and not even the bakery nor the ice cream saloon can open its doors to Sunday customers. All the boys under 18 years of age are obliged by ordinance to be off the streets after 8 o'clock in the evening, under penalty of arrest. The tobacco chewers, too, have also been made to feel the influence of the rule of the women, and there is no longer any expectorating of tobacco juice on the sidewalk. In view of such a record as this, it is not surprising to hear of the triumphant re-election of this government of the women, and of other towns in Kansas falling into line with female rulers.

The Great Lakes.

The writings of Mr. A. T. Drummond on the subject of the Great Lakes have attracted considerable attention in Canada and the United States. In his view Lake Superior is the most ancient of the lakes, and at one time found an outlet to the ocean through the Mississippi valley. Later, however, it was the source of a great river system which navigated at the shore of the Atlantic. This great river rose in the Michigan basin and Lake Superior, crossed what now is Lake Huron, and was joined later on by another large stream from the north. After crossing the Ontario valley the waters of these streams found an an outlet in the ocean through the Mohawk-Hudson valley. At a comparatively recent period the elevation of the land between the Georgian Bay and Lake Ontario blocked the course of the river and caused a new channel to be opened into the Erie basin. Before this time the St. Lawrence was a river of small size, taking its rise in the Adirondack mountains.

John H. Swift, of Hartford, Conn., was hanged for the murder of his wife in July, 1887. She was forced to leave him on account of his dissipated habits and cruelty. The murder was done because she refused to return to him. His sister made most strenuous efforts to secure a commutation of the sentence. The legislature passed a bill making the penalty imprisonment for life. The governor vetoed it. The senate passed it over the veto, but the house failed to do so. The marriage occurred six years ago, when Swift was 19 years old.

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LOSS OF SETTLERS.

A gentleman in Vancouver recently advertised for agricultural settlers, and within a few days had received one or two hundred applications. This shows the desire existing among many people coming to this Province to obtain homesteads. Yet the Government are frittering away their time spending little dabs here and there on quartz mines without giving the attention to immigration and settlement that their importance demands. There are hundreds of rich valleys in this province that the people who are daily passing over to Washington Territory would be glad to settle on if they were only encouraged. But so far from an attempt being made to further the settlement of a good class of immigrants, those who have taken up land are neglected and forgotten after the manner of the good people of Alberni. Indeed, so far as immigration and settlement are concerned the government appears to be sound asleep.

SUPPRESSED GENIUS.

LOUISA MURRAY, in the Week, discusses pleasantly "Suppressed Genius in Women," in which she holds that their respective environments, domestic and social, contributed to circumscribe their intellectual sphere. It seems like going out of the way to discuss this question negatively, when to the world in general the subject is abstruse, and however decided, fruitful of no practical results; but it does seem as if the Week's correspondent had misapprehended the true significance of genius, and the temptation therefore to discuss the subject is too strong to be resisted. It may be questioned whether there was ever such a thing as suppressed genius. We are told that "full many a gem of purist ray serene the dark unfathomed caves of ocean bear," and anon the poet talks of "hands the rod of empire might have swayed," from which quotations we are to infer that the great prerequisite of genius is opportunity. Genius, however, is not the creature of opportunity. It is an intellectual quality which takes no cognizance of conditions, however untoward. It is intellectuality in ferment, which rends its bonds as SAMPSON did the thongs of the Philistines. Genius is true originality, the agency which may be said to produce something from nothing, presenting ideas of its own neither borrowed nor deduced from anything else. An independent quality like this, a quality over which the possessor has no control, precludes the idea of repression from extraneous material causes. Genius perennially effervescent, must find vent, though it cover its possessor with obloquy. Nevertheless it must be admitted that if genius may be suppressed it is most likely to happen in the case of woman. Women are strangely subjective to domestic and social conditions. Custom has prescribed for them a sphere of action and they religiously adhere to its mandates. When woman ventures from the beaten path she is assailed nine times out of ten with calumny. It requires an overpowering, consuming genius in woman to fortify her moral courage to the pitch of over-stepping the dead line of the conventionalities. Besides, it may be questioned whether woman was intended to figure as a genius. There is a great deal said about what woman should and might be, but the fact remains just the same that she was preeminently cut out for a wife and mother, two most exalted functions, and which if carried out to their legitimate degree may be said to be suppressive of genius if anything is. But we have no good evidence to show, onerous as may be the domestic obligations, that genius may be suppressed by them wholly, rather the reverse. In abeyance it may have been kept for a period, as was the case of the BRONTE sisters, but in the fullness of time it blazes forth all the brighter, perhaps for its enforced restraint. In the instances of GEORGE ELIOT and HARRIET BEECHER STOWE the non-suppressibility of genius is conclusive. "Uncle Tom's Cabin" was conceived and written amid the cares of maternity and house-keeping. As for JANET CARLYLE it requires a pretty liberal imagination to classify her as a genius suppressed by her husband's overpowering effulgence and possible want of sympathy in her ambitions. If Mrs. CARLYLE had been the possessor of genius not all of her cookings of oatmeal mush would have suppressed the divine afflatus, and we may be certain of one thing, that if CARLYLE had thought her capable of climbing Parnassus he would have encouraged her to attempt the ascent. For the want of better evidence, therefore, than we have, it is impossible to include JANET CARLYLE in the category of suppressed geniuses. Fitful flashes of it she might have possessed, but not the ever burning flame which makes successful the courting of the muses. To sum up, geniuses are not every day current. Civilization does not to-day possess a living genius in the field of pure letters. TENNYSON's genius has departed. Not until another century is well on shall we have another THACKERAY, DICKENS, or GEO. ELIOT.

PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM IN CONNECTICUT.

In the land of "steady habits" (Connecticut), the primal seat of the public school, we have a condition of education which seems to corroborate MARK TWAIN'S famous articles on "English as she is taught." In one school out of 35 children present, 22 could not write enough even to make an attempt at examination. Some who could not write were over 12 years old, and had been attending school for 6 years. In spelling, out of 1127 pupils tested, 787 misspelled "which," 699 misspelled "whose," and 408 could not spell the name of the town in which they lived. In one town in New London county out of 19 tested, who were between 9 and 10 years old, only two could add correctly. The following is the production of a boy 11 years old who had been in school about 6 years:

(No. 7.)
7 gum Man Wagon Horse
(Boy, 12 years old; in school 8 years.)
(No. 8.)
iso w to men cut ing wood isaw forion cows in onlot shors rusing in thelot ando turky an cow

Space does not permit us to cite the other instances of ignorance given, but they are as outrageous as any of the foregoing. Such instances as these of common school inefficiency indicate a condition of affairs in the educational department of the state past accounting. It is just possible that the substitution of moral suasion in the schools in the place of "the oil of birch" has something to do with it. There are men living to day who can recollect of being clubbed into learning their lessons, and it is just possible that this practice will have to be resumed again.

CONSUMPTION AND ITS CURE.

The latest thing for the cure of consumption is the discovery of Dr. LOUIS WEIGERT, of Berlin, who has devised an effective apparatus for the cure of consumption by the inhalation of super-heated air. The machine is an upright bearing a reading-stand and a burner, the flame from which heats the interior of a copper cylinder inclosed in another; the space between the two being a reservoir from which air is drawn through a tube having a check valve. The effect of the inhalations of this dry, super-heated air is to destroy the bacilli, besides enlarging the lungs and improving their oxidizing qualities. Prof. KOHLSCHUTTER said that when Dr. WEIGERT first published his theory he was attracted by the seeming correctness of the deductions. It was a fact that at 107.5 degrees Fahrenheit the development of the tubercle bacilli ceased, and that, although there was a constant growth of new ones, complete sterilization could be attained by many partial sterilizations. Dr. WEIGERT had proved that persons could without injury to themselves inhale highly heated dry air. Seven weeks' treatment of one patient increased the chest size from 35 to 37½ inches, and caused the disappearance of pleuritic exudation, of abnormal respiratory sounds, of rales and dulness. The sputa at first showed many bacilli, while after several weeks' treatment there were in six specimens but thirty, and these in a changed condition. Prof. KOHLSCHATTER ended by advising "earnest trial" of the new and effective method.

PROVINCIAL RIGHTS.

Commenting on the decision of the Privy Council in the minerals case, the Week says:

The judgment of the judicial committee of the British Privy Council in the British Columbia minerals appeal, while based on strictly legal and constitutional grounds, adds another link to the chain of decisions which show that the rights of the provinces, in the matter of territory and legislation, are large and well guarded under the British North American act. It should have, perhaps, the notice of the thoughtful that the recent vote in the Canadian Commons on the motion for disallowance of the Jesuit Estate act points in the same direction. Whatever anyone may suspect to have been the real motives which produced the overwhelming majority against disallowance, it is clear that either honest convictions or political exigencies forced both parties to take a firm stand in favor of provincial rights as against Ottawa supremacy. The rescinding of the monopoly clause of the C. P. R. charter last session, under pressure from Manitoba, was another case in point. Thus a uniform line of precedents, which will soon become too strong to be broken, is being made in support of the thoroughly federal character of the Canadian union. Opinions may vary as to the desirableness of this result, but it seems impossible to deny the significance of the facts. It is difficult to see how the present government could ever again claim any large power of disallowance, in case of a measure strictly within provincial jurisdiction, as it did in the case of the Manitoba railway acts.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

New Hampshire farming property is not very valuable nowadays. A farm of 50 acres in Springfield, with a decent house and barn in good repair, with meadow land that cuts enough hay for two cows and a horse, and with a good wood lot, was lately sold for $250.

The total gross debt of the Dominion on the 31st March was $287,889,970. Deducting from the investments in sinking funds and otherwise, the provincial, the miscellaneous and banking accounts, a total of $53,016,349 of assets, the net debt remains at $234,873,636, a decrease of $1,221,471 in the month. Of the gross debt, liabilities to the amount of $188,713,935 are payable in England.

Father Agostino, an eloquent monk, whose preaching is the sensation in Rome, recently made the following announcement from the pulpit: "I protest against reporters taking down what I say and making it a source of profit. It is an infringement of my right. If there is to be a profit made by my sermons or my words, I am the person entitled to it and should receive it."

When the salary of Superintendent of Mines came up for consideration in the Commons, Sir Richard Cartwright asked about the minerals of British Columbia, whether the Government has any control over them now that the recent decision of the Privy Council gave the minerals to the Province. Hon. Mr. Dewdney replied that the decision only affected the precious metals. The base metals and the coal are still under the control of the Dominion.

Some years ago an American sailor named Carl Benjamin, was wrecked on one of the Caroline Islands. He decided to make the island his home, as there was no work to do and plenty to eat. The natives, who were very good natured, took kindly to him, and have made him their king. He is a somewhat scholarly man, and is diligently engaged teaching the natives English and the rudiments of civilized life. He has twenty wives and fifty children. Nothing, he says, would induce him to go back to his old home in Newburyport, Mass.

The Great Eastern, which has for many years been a solemn warning against making things too big, has at last yielded a profit to somebody, at last yielded a profit to somebody. A few months ago she was sold for $100,000. The pieces were afterwards sold as follows: Copper, $13,450; brass, $19,000; gun metal, $22,400; lead, $20,925; outer iron plates, $62,500; inner iron plates, rivets and beams, $61,150; anchors, about $1,500. This gave the speculators about a hundred per cent. Her original cost was $4,250,000. She was launched on January 31, 1858, and her greatest work was the laying of the Atlantic cable.

The Montreal Daily Star, under the caption of a "Police Picnic," waxes sarcastic, and not without reason. The Lake Megantic campaign, it says, will certainly gain for the expedition enduring fame in the annals of war. Fifty policemen armed to the teeth and equipped for an all summer campaign have boldly advanced into the enemy's country.

No policeman has seen Morrison, or if so, with the commendable caution so characteristic of the expedition, he has taken care not to let anybody know it, or to let Morrison see him. A *Star* reporter has interviewed Morrison twice, and hundreds of other people have seen him, but somehow he and the policemen never speak as they pass by. Even the constable who is armed with the bagpipes never gets near enough to the outlaw to fire a broadside at him with the drones. Although it is too early yet to foretell the result of the campaign, considerable progress has been made. Morrison has not been arrested, but nearly everybody else in the neighborhood has; whether for giving aid and comfort to the enemy, or for laughing at the expedition is not quite clear. We hope it is not the latter, because if so the whole population of the Dominion will soon be languishing in gaol. The spectacle of fifty brass buttoned warriors marching and countermarching, with a piper at their head, through the back woods, in pursuit of Morrison, is not a fit subject for mirth. An esteemed French contemporary suggests that the equipment of the expedition is not complete without a field battery. This is a detail, however, which may be safely left to the military genius of those in command. Speaking with all deference to military authority we would suggest that a banner bearing the legend "Please don't shoot" would be equally serviceable and infused more confidence in the ranks.

Some alarm was created recently among business men in Winnipeg and elsewhere, says the Sun, by the announcement that certain changes were in contemplation by the customs' department, which involved the addition of a duty upon transportation charges to the point of destination to the import duties. It now appears that the only change contemplated is the levying of duty on transportation charges from the place of production to the point of shipment in the country where the goods have been purchased. But even this change is not being received with favor and such protest has been made against it as will probably result in its abandonment. A deputation from Toronto, which recently waited on the Minister of Customs, pointed out to him the probable effects of the new policy. One of these would be that the bulk of the purchases would be made at the seaport towns rather than in inland towns. Liverpool was not a manufacturing but was merely a shipping point for the manufacturing towns of the United Kingdom. Glasgow, on the other hand, was both a manufacturing town and a great seaport. If this regulation was adopted, it would result in throwing the great bulk of the Canadian trade into the hands of Glasgow, at the expense of Liverpool. As our trade passed between Montreal and Liverpool, such a result would seriously upset present arrangements. Then, again, as a customs impost, it discriminated against the cheaper classes of goods. Take, for instance, the crockery trade. A crate of the commoner kinds of crockery, worth about five pounds, costs as much for transportation as a crate costing one hundred and fifty pounds. It was easy to see, therefore, that the cheaper goods used by the people would pay a higher duty proportionately to their cost than the expensive goods of the rich. If the object in adopting the new principle was to raise more money from the customs imposts, it would be much more equitable to raise the duty and collect on value alone at the point of production.

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G. L. MINE, Registrar and Secretary.

April 9, 1889. ap-1m

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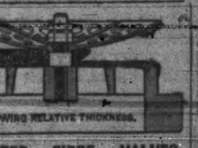

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JOSEPH ROSCOWITZ, Plaintiff,

AND

JAMES WARREN, Defendant.

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JAMES C. PROVOST.

Dated, Victoria, February 15th, 1889. m16

MUNICIPAL.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT from and after this date the provisions of Section 5, of the By-law No. 145, will be strictly enforced, which reads as follows:

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CHAPTER XV.

MURDER.

Not once again did Beautiful Jim stir or move during the rest of that night; but soon after 7 in the morning he was roused by Leader coming into the room—Leader, with a face like chalk and ashes, and hands shaking like aspen leaves in a gale of wind, who shook him up with less ceremony than he had ever done before during all the time he had served him.

"Mr. Beresford—sir—for God's sake wake up!" the man panted. "The awfulest thing has happened, sir—for God's sake wake up!"

"Eh—what!" muttered Jim, sleepily. "Mr. Mainera is on duty today."

"It's not duty, sir—it's murder!" cried Leader, desperately, shaking him harder than ever.

The ominous word was enough to rouse Beautiful Jim completely. "Hey—murder—oh, is that you, Leader? Why, has anything happened?"

"Happened! Yes, sir, Mr.—Capt. Owen, that is,—is lying dead in his quarters this minute," the man gasped out as well as his chattering teeth and shaking lips would let him speak.

Jim sat bolt upright in his cot. "Capt. Owen dead! Good God! Leader, is it true, or are you mad, or am I dreaming?"

"True enough, sir," returned Leader, sadly. "Jones went to call him 1st min utes ago and found him—dead and still."

By this time Jim was out of his cot, and getting rapidly into the first clothes that came to hand, and in less than a minute from the time he realized the information which Leader had brought him he was across the corridor and in Owen's room.

But up to that moment he had scarcely believed that it was quite as Leader had said, that Owen was really dead. Still there was no mistaking the evidence of his own eyes, for poor Owen was lying just as they found him, half on the floor and half on the cot, his hands still clutching the bed clothes, which were stained darkly and deeply by a great pool of blood which had oozed from a frightful gash at the back of his head.

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"then it's true;" and then the doctor came hurrying in, as pale and scared-looking as the others, yet keeping his presence of mind admirably.

"Great heavens! what an awful thing," he exclaimed. "Here, Jim, help me to lift him over and see if anything can be done." Then, as they simultaneously touched him, he shook his head. "Ah! no, poor chap—it's no use—he's been dead for hours."

Ay, it was true enough; there could be no mistaking the ashen gray face the parted tips, the blank stare of the dilated eyes, even to the most inexperienced here in the room; and besides, as they had found him, so he remained when the laid him on the cot, with knees bent and hands stiffly clutching at nothing. Oh! sinful, awful sight!

"The best friend I ever had in my life," cried poor Jim Beresford, the big tears chasing one another down his cheeks.

He was so blinded by his grief that he never noticed that Tommy Earle had come in, and was standing looking, with horror stamped on every feature, at the awful thing on the bed, all that was left of but twelve hours before had been a lithe, breathing, gallant man of honor.

"Who did it?" the lad asked, shaking the words with his lips rather than speaking them.

It was Owen's servant, Jones, who answered the question.

"We don't know, sir. Some dastardly coward what struck from behind;" and then he dashed the tears away from his eyes, and turning from the cot began tidying up the room in a dazed, mechanical sort of way, as if he hardly knew what he was about.

"You'd better not touch anything till the police come," said the doctor, who had kept his senses about him better than most people would have done under the circumstances. They will be here in a few minutes now, Mr. Beresford, I should advise you to have the room cleared and a guard mounted over the door. There no use our stopping here now—we can do no good."

Thus reminded that he was now officer commanding the detachment, he gave orders to have the room cleared, and having locked the door, set a double guard upon it. Then he went back to his room and dressed himself, being already in his undress uniform, by the time the police arrived from the town, half a mile away.

And although the entire barracks seemed to be paralyzed by the awful deed which had been committed in their midst, Beautiful Jim found himself with plenty of work on his hands. First he had to confer with the police while they made a careful examination of the room and of the dead man, together with the army surgeon and a civilian doctor, who had come up with them from the town.

"Eve's the thing that did it," said one of the men, suddenly stooping to pick up something off the floor.

The others all pressed forward to see what it was, Beautiful Jim among them, the man held in his hand an iron dumbbell bell of about seven pounds weight, which Jim at once recognized as one of his own.

"That's mine," he exclaimed, instantly.

The inspector of police looked sharply.

"You'd better say nothing, sir; anything you say now is liable to be used as evidence against you."

"Against me!" repeated Beautiful Jim, staring at the man as if he were mad, drunk, or both. "Why, you don't mean to say that you suspect me of murdering the best friend I have in the world!"

"Be quiet, old fellow," put in the doctor soothingly. "Of course, the inspector is all the wide world least desirous of accusing you; but, of course, as you were the last person with poor Owen during the evening, and as the blow which killed him must have been struck by someone with great force, and as your room is next to his, and you alone of all the officers have no witness to your movements during the time when the murder must have been committed, you see, you must expect that your evidence will be taken down and—and—"

"Why, you don't mean to say that you think I—I—Jim Beresford—the man who would have given his life for poor old Owen, the best friend I ever had in my life—the man who would have given his own life to save his—I—I—Oh, it's too much! Why, I'd sooner have had my right hand cut off than have—Oh, it's too much! Why, I'd sooner have had my own mother—I—I—Oh, it's too much!"

"Hush, hush, my dear fellow," said the doctor, laying his hand on the young man's shoulder; "we all know that you would do anything in the world to avenge your friend's death, but you must not let your grief and your anger carry you away like this. Why, you are not fit to be left alone, you are so excited. Come with me to my quarters and let me give you something to quiet you, and then you must come down to the town with us and see poor Owen's body laid in the mortuary there, and then you must come back and help us to find the villain who has done this deed. Why, we shall need your help in every way, you know, in the search we must make for the man who struck the blow, and we must have your evidence as to the state of affairs between poor Owen and his servant, and between Owen and his brother officers, and between Owen and his family, if we are to do our duty by him and by his memory. We must have everything that may throw light upon the dark deed that has been done, and we must have it at once, if we are to have any chance of tracking the murderer. Come with me, my dear fellow, and let us do our duty by our dead friend."

Jim was quite unnerved by the shock he had received, and by the terrible accusation which had been so unexpectedly hurled at him by his own servant; he was quite willing to do what the doctor had suggested, and to go with him to his quarters and take the drink he offered him; he was quite willing to do anything he was asked to do, so long as he might be allowed to avenge his dead friend.

"I'm quite ready, sir," he said, when he had drunk the stuff poured out by the doctor and had had his face bathed in cold water; "I'm quite ready to go with you now, and I'm very sorry I—I—lost my head like that just now. But it's—it's—it's—Oh, it's so hard to think that poor old Owen should be murdered like this, and that I should be—be—suspected of having had a hand in his death, when I would have given my own life to save his!"

"My dear lad, I need not say that nothing short of your own confession could make me believe you capable of an act so cowardly," said the colonel, kindly; "but at the same time, Beresford, it would be a satisfaction to me to have your positive assurance that all was right between you."

"Col. Barnes," said Jim, solemnly holding out his hand, "I give you my word, on the honor of an officer and a gentleman, that I am absolutely innocent of this charge, and as utterly ignorant of the truth as you can be yourself."

"I believe you implicitly," said the colonel, taking the young man's outstretched hand and gripping it hard.

"It was the greatest blow to me," Beautiful Jim went on, wretchedly. "In fact, colonel, I could scarcely believe my own eyes when I went in the next morning and found him. Oh!" with a shudder, "to think that it should be poor old Owen, the best friend I ever had in all my life—the dear chap who smoked his last pipe with me only seven or eight hours before"——

"He was with you the last thing," the colonel cried.

"Yes, colonel; he generally turned into my room on his way to bed, and he did that night."

"But what is this story about your having had a quarrel with him?" the colonel asked.

"A quarrel—with Owen—I!" repeated Jim, in accents of such unmistakable astonishment that the colonel saw an explanation was necessary, and began to make one at once.

"Yes; there's a tale going about, which I suppose accounts for your being here at all, that you and Owen had a quarrel that evening just before dinner."

"Never!" exclaimed Jim, indignantly. "Never, either then or at any other time. Owen and I never had a wrong word in our lives."

"I confess it seemed to me incredible, knowing the fast friendship which had existed between you ever since you had been in the regiment," the colonel said; "but such is the tale, and from what I could gather during the few minutes I was in barracks after hearing the news of your—your"——

"Arrest," put in Jim, who was too anxious to hear what the colonel had to tell to be above calling this very unpleasant spade anything but a spade. "Yes, sir. Well?"

"I gathered," the colonel went on, relieved about having to use the obnoxious term, "that it was your servant who set the idea afloat. It seems that he was in the kitchen just before mess that night and saw Owen dart into your room and heard very high words between you afterward. He seemed to have the impression that you were quarreling, and blurted it out after Owen was found."

"Oh, Leader's a fool—a fool, sir," said Jim, crimson with shame at the thought that anyone should have imagined that he would have quarreled with Owen, and thought he would have imagined I was ready to murder my best friend. Utter fool as he is, he might have known better than that."

"Leader don't think it at all, poor devil," said the colonel, promptly. "He swore through thick and thin that he had never said it, and I left him blubbering like a school boy kept in on a cricket match day. But I'm afraid it will prove a troublesome business; and, by the bye, Beresford, how could Leader have got such an idea?"

"Well, colonel, in one way he was right enough," Jim answered. "Owen did come into my room that evening in a towering rage, but not with me, nor in any way concerning me. I can't tell you what about, as it is connected with another person who could not have been mixed up in the later events, for he was and is absolutely ignorant that Owen knew what he did know and was so affected by it, as I happened to know. Leader was right enough about there being high words, only they were not between us. In fact, it was simply that the poor old chap was full of disgust, and therefore came and poured it all out to me. Of course, all the other fellows will be able to speak to the fact that Owen and I were on the best of terms during the whole evening."

"Oh, of course, it won't hold water for a moment, Jim," said the colonel, kindly. "It will all come right, there's not a doubt about that; only it was so unfortunate that Private Leader should have stored the idea that there were high words between you, more particularly as you say the matter about which Owen came to you could not in any way be connected with the after events of the day."

There was a moment's silence, but then Beautiful Jim looked up at his commanding officer, who, by the bye, had never called him Jim in all his life before.

"I'm very glad that you believe in me, colonel," he said, simply, "because it puts now heart into me; but I do hope that, while these fools of detectives are trying to fasten it on me, they won't let the real man slip through their fingers. I've an idea that it will all come out—a dim and confused sort of feeling that I ought to be able to put my finger on the villain, and yet, though I've been thinking and thinking night and day ever since it happened, I can't hit it."

"It will come out, never fear," said the colonel; "and meantime, your great object must be to prove your own innocence. Better far that the poor fellow should go unavenged altogether, so far as this world is concerned, than that the wrong man should suffer for it. I'm sure Owen himself would be the very first to say so, more especially as they have picked out you as the wrong man."

"Colonel," said Jim, solemnly, "he was the best and truest friend I ever had in my life, and," speaking slowly and clearly, "I give you my word that I would scorn either the world or myself, if it would insure the murderer being brought to justice, than that his cruel death should go unpunished and unavenged."

"Hush!" said the elder man, imperatively, "you do not quite know what you say. The issues of life and death and justice lie in higher hands than yours. 'Vengeance is mine. I will repay, saith the Lord,'" and as the words which the chaplain had used on the previous day fell upon his ears the hardness died out of Jim's resolute face, and he let his hands fall to his side.

"You are right, colonel," he said, humbly. "I'm unhinged and unnerved altogether. I—I—hardly know what I am saying. Don't stay here any longer, sir; you'll do me no good by looking after my interests outside."

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CHARLES ROBERTSON, Solicitor for the Executrix.

Victoria, January 22nd 1889. jan 1

LOCAL PARAGRAPHS.

News of the City and Province Briefly Told.

—No police court to-day.

—"Ancient Mariner" to-night.

—Ice Cream and ice for sale at Poodle Dog. *

—St. John's Church has new chandeliers of beautiful design.

—Why not be like other large cities and have an arbor day here?

—A party of Raymond's excursionists arrived on Saturday evening.

—A majority of stores closed at noon to-day in honor of Easter Monday.

—A few sailors from the Swiftsure were noticed around town this afternoon.

—Since H. M. S. Swiftsure arrived in Esquimalt one blue jacket deserted.

—Vancouver soap is being shipped to Victoria, say the press of the terminal city.

—A cricket match is in progress at Beacon Hill Park to-day, V. C. C. vs. C Battery.

—A telephone has been laid to the Jubilee Hospital at a cost of $75 for poles, etc.

—A car-load of eastern wagons for E. G. Prior and Co., arrived by the Islander on Saturday.

—Mammoth rollers for rolling Sir Lester Kaye's farm are made from British Columbia trees.

—Several of the lady school teachers are in the city spending Easter holidays with their friends.

—Chicken or garden fencing, four feet, 18 cents per yard, at McLennan & McFeely's, 16 Fort St. *2w

—Take advantage of the fine weather and have the baby's photo taken. Go to Hall & Lowe's and get the best. *

—151 words per minute without an error has been written with the Remington Typewriter. Waitt & Co., agents. *

—Regina has just received the first salmon of the season from the Fraser, and the *Leader* notes it with delight.

—Two Chinamen fought on Cormorant street on Sunday afternoon. They were separated by a heavy shower of rain.

—The Vancouver Street Railway Company will use horses at first. They expect to have the cars running this fall.

—The Rev. Mr. McLeod paid an appropriate tribute to the late Hon. Robert Dunsmuir in yesterday morning's service.

—The Pianos made by Knabe & Co. carried off the highest award at the Centennial Exhibition. M. W. Waitt & Co., agents. *

—There a number of varieties of corns. Holloway's Corn Cure will remove any of them. Call on your druggist and get a bottle at once. *

—If your "pianos" want tuning, you can get satisfaction by applying to Mr. Frank Bourne, the practical tuner, 24, Kane street, City. *

—It will repay you to visit Waitt's Music Store and see the Knabe Pianos, and the other well known instruments which they have in stock. *

—The number of fishermen employed in the fishery business in this province last year was 5940. The number of crafts in the same, was 2166.

—Rev. D. Fraser addressed a meeting in the First Presbyterian church at four o'clock yesterday afternoon, in the language of the ancient Celts.

—A magnificent line of Gendron's celebrated wire wheel baby buggies just opened at John Weiler's. Also China dinner, breakfast and tea services. *

—A lively runaway occurred near the Four-Mile House on Saturday afternoon, whereby one of the jolly occupants of the vehicle was thrown out and bruised.

—Deputy Sheriff Langley will leave Wednesday morning for Westminster with J. J. Rogers in charge, to serve three years in the penitentiary for larceny.

—Mr. G. W. Basure, the Cowboy Evangelist, is said to have struck it rich in a limestone location near Ya'e. He is going into the burning business extensively.

—On Saturday evening two young ladies were heard to remark on one of the principal streets that they would become members of the next opera troupe visiting Victoria.

—The failures of British Columbia for the first quarter of 1889 were six in number, amounting to $8,200. Last year, for the same period, they were eight, with $85,048 liabilities.

—The Salvation Army of the Royal City has been much annoyed of late by drunks. The *Columbian* remarks that the army must be protected the same as any other religious body.

—Thirteen and a half cords of fine cedar bolts arrived by the Princess Louise on Saturday, for Messrs. Mairhead & Moon. The bolts are as fine as specimens as ever seen.

—Do not delay in getting relief for the little folks. Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator is a pleasant and sure cure. If you love your child why do you let it suffer when a remedy is so near at hand. *

—At a meeting in Toronto a few evenings since, in the Rev. Hugh Johnston's congregation, Methodist Church, a collection was raised of $22,000 to apply in reducing the indebtedness of the church.

—Mayor Moran and Councillor Durie of Seattle had a narrow escape from being killed at Seattle last Wednesday, by a heavily loaded derrick breaking. Both luckily escaped with a few bruises.

—Bill Nye, the humorist, is nigh this city, where he proposes to lecture in a few days hence. The truthful William will, of course, furnish the New York *World* with something laughable about what he saw.

—The Canadian Pacific Railway Company's earnings for the week ending April 14th were $263,000; for the same week last year $234,000. The above does not include the earnings on the South Eastern railway.

—*C. A Livingstone*, Plattsville, Ont., says: "I have much pleasure in recommending *Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil*, from having used it myself, and having sold it for some time. In my own case I will say for it that it is the best preparation I have ever tried for rheumatism."

—Miss Alice Ryan, the prima donna soprano of the Mendelssohn Quintette Club, which is to be at the theatre next Wednesday, is a pupil of Madame Marchesi, of Paris, with whom she studied for some time with the view of singing in concert and oratorio exclusively.

—*A Sure Basis of Popularity.*—Merit, apparent to a "cloud of witnesses," upon which the popularity of *Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil* is founded. Throat and lung complaints, pain, soreness, stiffness, swellings, burns and ailments of various other kinds, yield to the action of this speedy and safe remedy. * • *

—The New Westminster Board of Trade has received from the Dominion Government a notification to the effect that the span of the Mission bridge, over which so much dispute has arisen, is to be made 100 feet wide. This news has caused much satisfaction both among the river men and citizens generally.

—Why suffer from disorders caused from impure blood, when thousands are being cured by using Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery? It removes Pimples and all Eruptions of the Skin. Mr. John C. Fox, Olinda, writes, "Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery is giving good satisfaction. Those who have used it say it has done them more good than anything they have ever taken. *

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New Telegraph Line.

Fifty thousand pounds of heavy English telegraph wire arrived by the Islander last night. The whole is estimated to be seventy miles in length and is to be utilized in the new line between Nanaimo and Boulds Point.

Assault and Robbery.

Tom Flardo, a half-breed, was arrested by Officer Hawton at 8 o'clock Saturday night, charged with robbing and assaulting a Chinaman named Ah Sing. On searching the half-breed in the jail $5 45 was found on him. The case will come up in the morning.

Fire at Thetis Lake.

From Mr. Alex. Aiken, who was in town to-day, it was learned that a small building near Thetis Lake, and generally used by fishermen from the city, was burned down this morning. It is thought the fire originated with parties who were using the building yesterday.

The Sealers.

The sealing schooner Viva, Captain Baker, owned by Carne & Munsie, arrived in on Sunday, having sealed up the coast from San Francisco. She has 580 skins, an excellent catch for the time out. The weather was on the whole favorable. After refitting and recaulking the Viva will proceed northward.

Cutting Affair.

A cutting affair occurred late last night near the corner of Johnson and Government streets, whereby Night Watchman Alex. Campbell received an ugly gash in the palm of the right hand. His assailant, a newly arrived sealer giving the name of William Smith, was arrested and will be given a hearing to-morrow.

Wants to Know.

Sir Richard Cartwright, says an Ottawa dispatch, is not quite satisfied concerning the proposed subsidy to a line of steamers from British Columbia to Australia, as he gives notice of making inquiries of the Government what amount of manufactured goods have been exported for the past six or eight months from Canada to Australia.

Correct.

James Roberts, of Dunnigan, Yolo county, Cal., writes to the Chief of Police of this city, wanting to join the force here. Roberts says he is an Irish Protestant, temperate and moral in habits. He don't forget to enquire about the salary. Chief Sheppard has replied that there are no openings in this line and if he wanted one hundred men he would get them in the city.

Funeral.

The remains of the late Ralph Joseph Cameron were interred in Ross Bay Cemetery this morning. Divine services were held in St. Andrew's pro-Cathedral for the repose of the dead, the Rev. Van Nevel officiating. The following young gentlemen acted as pall-bearers: Thos. Barrett, Wm. Duck, Harry McDowell, Herbert Geiger, Herbert Hounslow and Joseph Smithers.

Coal at Vancouver.

The contractors for the sinking of the Vancouver Lumber Company's wells, struck coal at a depth of 15 or 20 feet on Saturday. There was only a thin vein resting on the granite, but it was well defined and of lignite formation. A piece of it was put in the fire and combustion was very complete. This confirms the statements of the government expert, Amos Bowman, who was sent out last year to study the coal formations of this district.

Anthracite Coal Company.

If Mr. McLeod Stewart's interview with the Lords of the Admiralty terminates as he expects, the company's future dividends are likely to be large. This gentleman, who is the president of the company, is endeavoring to get the admiralty to use his company's coal in the place of Welsh coal for the Pacific squadron. Arrangements have been made for testing the fitness of the coal, which it is hoped will be satisfactory.

Art Notice.

G. W. Bigger will enlarge small pictures of any kind, or the most difficult one you have to work from, and give you a nice portrait handsomely framed and delivered all O. K. Your choice of eight different works, oil included, porcelain, steel engraving and water colors, Indian ink, pastel and crayon that will excel any ever seen in the country. Your portrait for $2 and $3. C. O. D. to any part of the United States or Canada. Send your tintype or ferotype to 80 Government street, Victoria.

Ancient Mariner.

A final rehearsal of the above cantata has been held and it is safe to say the orchestra, of whom the following are the members, will prove to be the best that has ever performed in this city:

First violins, Prof. Herman and Mr. Loseley, Bandmaster of H. M. S. Swiftsure; second violins, Mr. Wilson and Mr. Jenner, Sergeant of the Swiftsure band; cello, Prof. Hoffman; basso, Prof. Pferdner; clarionet, Prof. Agius, Bandmaster of R. C. Artillery; flute, Mr. Hunter, C Battery band; cornet, Mr. Proctor, C Battery band; trombone, Mr. Stevens; organ, Mr. Scroggs; conductor and pianist, Prof. Sharpe.

Indians and Whiskey.

A correspondent writing to the *Sentinel* from Kamloops, refers to the whiskey policy of Hon. John Robson as follows: "We regret to say that many complaints come from the lines where 'free trade in whiskey' is carried on, and the Indians are becoming very demoralized. Both the American side and this side of the boundary are very much exposed. Since the death of the lamented Judge Haynes matters appear to be growing worse, and we learn that no officers are stationed for scores of miles, so that a 'high old time' is of common occurrence. We hear severe criticism upon the Government policy which so freely grants licenses to sell liquor wholesale and retail and takes no steps to keep the peace and prevent such sickening sights as are too often to be seen in Similkameen, Osoyoos and even Okanagan. It is a serious question whether society is progressing among the natives or demoralization upon the increase. Far too many old men are likely to fill drunkard's graves, while a large number of youth may be seen travelling the down grade."

Johnson Street Fire.

On Saturday night at 9:45 o'clock an alarm was turned in at No. 2 Engine House, caused by an explosion and fire in a frame building on Johnson street, adjoining the Germania saloon. Hose Company No. 2 was on hand in a short time and a stream of water from a hydrant at the corner of Yates and Government streets was taken into an alleyway near Geo. Crossman's restaurant. The horse hose reel was also on the ground in a few minutes and three well directed streams were turned on the burning building. The fire was under control in ten minutes after the alarm was turned in, and the apparatus was sent back to their houses in thirty minutes, with the exception of the reel of No. 2 company and the hook and ladder truck. The building was occupied by Mr. W. Whittaker for a number of years and was rented about two months ago to Mr. John J. Randall, agent for the improved pantagraph, a device for enlarging pictures. It was built of redwood imported from California thirty years ago and was owned by Messrs. Loewen & Erb. The Germania saloon, which was damaged to the extent of about $20, is also owned by those gentlemen. The entire loss will amount to about $270, which is covered by insurance in the Northern Insurance Company, of which Mr. M. T. Johnston is agent. The loss on stock was also very light. The firemen received much credit for the way the fire was handled. Mr. T. Shotbolt presented a check for $50 to the chief of the department. The cause of the explosion and fire is unknown. Mr. Randall's stock of pictures and pantagraphs was insured in the B. C. Insurance Company for $250.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

PERSONAL.

Items Telling of Movements of Well Known Persons.

E. G. Anderson, formerly employed at the Hamilton Cotton Company, was recently admitted into the firm of Richardson & Church, of Victoria, British Columbia. The firm will now go under the name of Richardson, Church & Co.—*Hamilton Spectator.*

J. C. McLagan, of the Vancouver *World*, has left on a trip to Winnipeg.

Jos Mason, M. P. P., and Robert McLeese, ex-M. P. P., left for Cariboo on Saturday morning.

John S. McLeod returned from a visit to friends in Bruce County, Ont., on Saturday.

Mr. Pierce Watson and wife (nee Hall) returned Saturday evening from a honeymoon trip to Tacoma.

Mr. I. B. Fisher, manager of the Bank of British Columbia at Westminster, arrived down last night.

Mr. Edward Legg, after an enjoyable eastern and European tour of three months, arrived by the Islander last night.

L. A. Agassiz, of Agassiz Station, arrived down last night and registered at the Driard.

Mr. Jas. O'Brien, a well-to-do Vancouverite, came down last evening for a visit.

Ald. David McPherson has been elected mayor of Halifax.

The Halifax board of trade demands that Halifax be the first and final place of touch for the new Atlantic fast time.

A. E. Howse of Nicola is at the Clarence.

Dr. Bremner, Cowichan, and W. P. Jaynes, Quamichan, came down on to-day's train, and are at the Clarence.

Mr. H. L. Snowdon, of Vancouver, is in the city in the interest of the Squamish settlers.

Mrs Flesham, of Port Townsend, and sister of Mrs. Hyams, of this city, who has been spending the holidays returned home by the Sound steamer.

Supt. Wilson, superintendent of the Pacific division of the C. P. R. telegraphic system, returned from Seattle on Saturday and leaves for New Westminster to-morrow morning.

"THE CHINESE MUST GO."

The Workingmen of Vancouver Meet and Discuss the Subject.

A meeting was held at Vancouver on Saturday night to discuss the labor question. About two hundred were present, principally bricklayers, stonemasons and bricklayers' laborers.

The chairman, Mr. Hemphill, in explaining the object of the meeting, referred to the well known fact that cheap Chinese labor was being employed to the exclusion of white labor, notwithstanding that white families were roaming around the terminal city without work and almost without bread. Chinamen could live on about ten cents per day and could and would work for wages from a dollar a day down. On an average it cost a white man at least a dollar a day to live.

Several contractors present expressed regret that under the present condition of things they were compelled to employ Chinese.

Mr. Wm. Tierney gave a brief account of the anti-Chinese movement in British Columbia, and what had been accomplished by it. He moved that "the tradesmen and laborers here present pledge themselves to refuse to work for any contractor who employs Chinese labor." Carried unanimously.

It was then moved and carried "that on and after the first day of May next, nine hours shall constitute a day's work, and bricklayers and stonemasons wages shall be $5 per day, and laborers wages $2.50 per day."

All present at the request of the chairman signed their names and trades, with the object of forming unions for the carrying out of principles for the betterment of the condition of the workingmen.

After appointing dates of meeting for the various trades the assembly dispersed.

INTERIOR NEWS.

Rev. J. Knox Wright and family arrived at Spallumcheen last week.

The Misses Innes, of Esquimalt, are spending a short holiday in Kamloops, the guests of their sister, Mrs. Dr. Tunstall.

J. B. Graves, of the Douglas Lake Ranching Co., is importing a car load of thoroughbred Clydesdale mares from Toronto for breeding purposes.

Mr. Jas. Pooley, son-in-law of Mr. Wm. Pooley, Nicola, left on the 14th for Devonshire, England. Mr. Pooley was a resident of Nicola for about two and a half years, and was a general favorite with the people there.

Another of those interesting society events for which Kamloops is gaining an enviable reputation was celebrated in the Presbyterian Church on Tuesday evening last. The contracting parties to the union were Mr. P. Rouler, tailor and clothier, and Miss L. A. Tuff. The ceremony was performed by the pastor, Rev. J. Chisholm, in the presence of a large number of the citizens. Mr. Alex. Mowat acted as groomsman, and a sister of the bride supported the latter.

UNNECESSARY POSTPONEMENT.

To the Editor of The Times.

Sir,—In common with a great many others I was very much surprised and disappointed at the action of the D. A. G. A. of this district in postponing the shooting competition of the B. C. G. A., which was to have taken place to-day. This is, I understand, the second postponement which has taken place without apparent "just cause or provocation." If the rainfall of Sunday and this a.m. is the excuse offered in explanation of the second postponement, the public can well refer to the officers and men composing the artillery as "feather-bed" soldiers. There was no reason why the competition should not have taken place as long as the target was plainly visible at the distance required. Many who went to considerable trouble preparing for the promised event may not see their way clear to going to any more inconvenience in the matter, which might affect the success of the next competition.

An Old Artillery Man.

Fine Work.

An excellent crayon likeness of the late Hon. Robert Dunsmuir is exhibited in the window of Mr. Joe Sommer, Government street. The portrait is certainly deserving of notice and redounds to the credit of the artist, E. Nicholas. It is enclosed in a gilt frame 20x26.

The lithograph issued by the *Colonist* is remarkably true to life. We understand the artist was Mrs. Ellis.

—Several young men acted in an unseemly manner last night in a prominent church.

—Owing to the inclement weather to-day the artillery practice for this morning was postponed by order of Captain Nicholles.

—The St. George's Society will banquet at the Clarence to-morrow evening. Mine host Anderson is preparing a feast for the gods.

—An individual named Thomas Hunter was arrested about half past eleven last night by Sergeant Walker charged with malicious injury to property.

—Twenty four Raymond's excursionists arrived from the Sound on Saturday evening and put up at the Clarence. They left again on the Olympian this morning.

—The schooner Annie left San Francisco when the sealer Viva was there, and as she has not been seen or heard from since a little anxiety exists as to her whereabouts.

—It turns out that the date fixed for voting on the Electric Tramway Guarantee By-Law comes on Sunday. It will be necessary for the Council to reconsider its action in respect to the naming of the day on which the vote shall be taken.

—Mr. and Mrs. George Ramsay, of Nanaimo, are called upon to mourn the loss of their daughter, Martha Mary Jane, aged ten years. The child died from the paralysis following diphtheria.

President of the Council.

The Hon. John Robson has been appointed President of the Council, vice Hon. Mr. Dunsmuir deceased. Hon. John will now run the political machine himself.

Marriage Bells.

At St. Andrew's pro-Cathedral this morning at 9 o'clock, Mr. Michael Moran, of Tacoma, and Miss Mary Kilson, of this city, were united in the holy bonds of matrimony, the Rev. Bishop Lemmens performing the sacred ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Moran are at the Clarence for the present, and will leave for Tacoma in the morning.

Horses Sold.

Messrs. Jones & McNeill disposed of three imported horses to-day to R. Grant & Co., of Nanaimo. One span of mares weighed 3290 pounds and are registered in the Toronto stud book. The price paid for the team was $800. The gelding, weighing 1490 pounds, was sold for $275. Thomas Robertson, of Ladner's Landing, bought a span of two-year-old fillies, weighing 2600 pounds, from the same place. The price paid for the span was $450.

The Postponed Practice.

The artillery practice of the B. C. G. A. which was to have taken place at Finlayson's Point to-day, was postponed ostensibly on account of "boisterous weather." There is a great deal of dissatisfaction among the artillery companies in consequence, for the reason that this is the second postponement of the practice. The object of to-day's meeting was to fire off last year's ammunition. The men assert that some malign influence is at work in connection with the militia and that they are not being used fairly. The weather to-day was certainly everything that could be desired for the practice.

Desirable Resident.

Mr. H. Sturdy, a breeder and stock raiser, arrived from Ontario on Saturday evening via the C. P. R. Mr. Sturdy intends settling as near this city as possible and to engage in farming and stock raising. He brought with him a carload of stock and personal effects. Amongst the stock were two thoroughbred bulls, four thoroughbred Jersey cows, two calves, three splendid specimens of thoroughbred hogs, a lot of extremely fine looking chickens and a coop of turkeys. Amongst the latter was a beautiful gobbler weighing 36 pounds. We cordially welcome Mr. Sturdy amongst us. By appearances he certainly merits his name.

Texada Island.

Dr. Bredemeyer, who has inspected the mines at Texada, says he examined upwards of sixty claims and was very well satisfied with the result. At present, however, there were but few inducements to capitalists to invest as the claims had not been developed. The ledges were hard to trace except by an expert, as they were covered with so much earth. There was gold there, but whether in quantities to pay considering the nature of the country, was a question. Much, he says, will depend upon the result of the analysis. All the claims examined show good quartz, but whether all was gold bearing or not was a question.

Mendelssohn Quintette Club.

The concert to be given by the above club on Wednesday evening will be a musical treat. The Montreal *Gazette*, speaking of a recent performance in that city, says: "There was a good attendance at the concert given last night in the Queen's Hall by the Mendelssohn Quintette club, but those present were rewarded by a taste of what is good in music. The first number on the programme was the *allegro vivace* from Mayseder, a quintette which was given with great finish, its charming melodious themes for the respective instruments being rendered with delicacy and vigor, and as a specimen of "ensemble" playing was nearly perfect. Then followed an aria from Mozart's masterpiece, La Clemenza, with clarionet obligato and quintette accompaniment. Herr Anton Hekking's fantaisie for violoncello, with quartette accompaniment, displayed that performer's mastery over the difficulties of the instrument. His rich and pure tone and effective phrasing were artistic and worthy of all praise. Mr. T. Ryan's performance of of Bassoni Concerto Fantaisie for Clarinette, or rather air with variations, was clearly the gem of the evening; his tone is round, rich and full, and the rendition perfect. St. Saen's Introduction and Rondo Capriccioso, always found in the repertoire of leading violinists from Joachim and Wilhelmj downward, was excellently given by Herr Obliger.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria,
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria,
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria,
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

Passengers Arriving.

Per Steamer Islander from Vancouver—E L Warner, Joseph Zoppa, M McCaffee, Mrs Perry, J Sanders, A R Howse, Mrs Loft, W G Munro, W L Cusack, H L Beaudon, H H Walker, D Louis, W J Parkinson, E Lees, R McPherson, D McMullen, Mrs L Fortier, T D Cyrs, Mrs Armstrong, Jas O'Brien, T H Davis, E H Maffin, J A Agassiz, W Tapler, W Wilson, H Stocks, L Fortier, Miss Austin, J P McLeod, Jno Armstrong, J L Hasserman, Capt Urquhart, Mr Ellis, Thos Archibald, G Hardy, T B Bowden.

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GEO. CROSSMAN.
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SCHOOL CHILDREN.

Two Omnibusses will leave Government street opposite Bank of British Columbia Building to-morrow (Tuesday), 23rd inst., at one o'clock prompt, and convey the Children to Cadboro Bay Road to assist in the ceremony of laying the Corner Stone. They will have to produce the tickets already issued to them.

WILLIAM M. CHUDLEY,
Hon. Secretary.
Victoria, 20th April, 1889. ap22-1t

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Victoria, 22nd April, 1889. ap22-1t

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E. W. NORROW,
Secretary.
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J. K. WORSFOLD,
Sec. Victoria Club.
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Estate of Thomas Thompson, Deceased.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE ABOVE estate are requested to pay the amounts due forthwith, and all persons having any claims against the said estate are requested to forward the same duly proved to

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A BY-LAW

To Amend the Consolidated Officers' Remuneration By-law, 1886.

Whereas it is expedient to amend the Consolidated Officers' Remuneration By-law, 1886.

No. 2 therefore assented to by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

1. That in the schedule attached to the said by-law the line, "City Carpenter $93.00 per month" is hereby changed to read "City Carpenter $75.00 per month."

2. This By-law may be cited as "The Consolidated Officers' Remuneration Amendment By-law, 1889."

Passed the Municipal Council the 8th day of March, A. D. 1889.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council, this 27th day of March, A. D. 1889.

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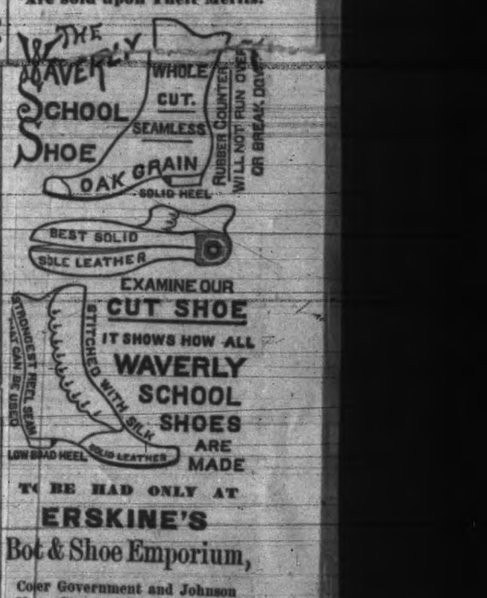

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